

BARNES GETS BULLA'S VOTES.

A Break at Sacramento That Gives Twenty Votes to the General.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SACRAMENTO, March 1.—The sixty-seventh ballot was taken at the election of Barnes and that of Bard to Irving M. Scott. In each instance there was an exception. Coper, a Bulla supporter, voted for Scott, and Greenwell, who had been voting for Bard, changed to Grant. Senator Bulla was the first to show that his forces were going to Barnes. When his name was reached on Senate roll call, he voted for the first time this session, for, as he has been a candidate before the Legislature, he has been excused from voting. When his name was reached today, however, he voted for Barnes, and his action was met with thundering applause. Senator Flint was the next to change his vote. He voted for Scott, although he had remained faithful to Bard since the first ballot was cast last January. The roll call continuing, showed the Bulla men voting for Barnes and the Bard men for Scott, with the exceptions noted. When the roll call had been concluded, a second was taken, but it showed no change over the first. The last roll call taken today was the sixty-eighth of the session. The Republican members now stand as follows: For Barnes—Senators Bettman, Burnett, Hoey, Laird, Leavitt, Shortridge, Simpson, Wolfe, Assemblymen Arnech, Barry, Escher, Cobb, Devoto Dibble, Henry, Jilson, Johnson, Kelley, Kealey, Keneally, Lindquist, McKean, Miller of San Francisco, Pierce, Rickard, Eugene Sullivan, Wright. For Barnes—Senators Bulla, Dickson, Gillette, Luthsinger, Morehouse, Taylor, Straton, Assemblymen Atherton, Belshaw, Baynton, Brown, Clough, Conrey, Knights, Knowland, Lardner, Melick, Miller of Los Angeles, Muenster, Robinson, Valentine, Anderson, Muenster and Anderson, who have been voting for Barnes, were away today, which brought Barnes' vote down to 20. La. Barre, a Bulla man, was also absent. It is said that had he been here he would have voted for Barnes, which, with Muenster's and Anderson's votes, would have given the General twenty-three votes. For Grant—Senators Boyce, Cutler, Jones, Maggard, Nutt, Smith, Trout, Assemblymen Bliss, Blood, Cargill, Chynoweth, Clark, Crowder, Dale, De Lancey Huber, Le Barron, Marlin, Greenwell, McDonald of Alameda, McDonald of Tuolumne, Merrill, Merritt, Melick, Padelford, Raub, Raw, Works. For Scott—Senators Davis, Flint, Rowell, Assemblyman Coper, Dunlap. For Estate—Assemblyman Wade. Several of those mentioned in this list were either absent or paired today. The several candidates are credited with those votes that were last cast for them. The vote today was as follows: Barnes 20, Estate 1, Burns 25, Grant 26, Scott 5, De Vries (D.) 1, Rosenfeld (D.) 1, White (D.) 27, Phelan (D.) 2.

FINAL STAB AT THE CANAL.

River and Harbor Bill Sidetracked to Conference.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—There was considerable excitement in the House today, growing out of the approach of adjournment and the critical state of various measures. The conference report on the omnibus claim bill was agreed to after a lively debate in which the French application claims were sharply attacked. The conference reports on the census bill and the Indianapolis public building bill were also adopted. The River and Harbor Committee disagreed to all Senate amendments to the river and harbor bill, including the Nicaragua Canal amendment. Chairman Burton said the motion to concur in the Nicaragua Canal amendment is not permissible under suspension of the rules and he moved the non-concurrence in the Senate amendments to the River and Harbor bill, under suspension of the rules. The River and Harbor bill was sent to conference and the passage of the general deficiency appropriation bill moved under suspension of the rules.

ROBBERS MAKE A RICH HAUL.

A Kentucky Postoffice Looted of Twenty Thousand.

CINCINNATI, O., March 1.—The Covington, Kentucky, postoffice was robbed of stamps and money last night, reported to amount to \$20,000. The work was evidently done by men who had secreted themselves in the stamp department, as it was possible to do, provided the watchman charged with looking after the carriers' door under the main stairway neglected his duty. This door is never closed. Through it thieves could enter and secretly themselves behind mail sacks and see the stamp clerk put away his stamps and cash, when he closed for the night. The robbery was first discovered by finding the large door, which mail wagons back up, wide open when the first employees reached the building today. The thieves evidently escaped that way. Postoffice inspectors have taken the matter in charge. Postmaster Reynolds declines to say how much the real loss amounted to.

FOUR DEATHS IN COLLISION

Engineers and Firemen Are Killed and a Brakeman Badly Hurt.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. OGDEN, Utah, March 1.—In a head-end collision between passenger train No. 1, east-bound, and a double-header freight west-bound, near White Plains, Nev., four people were killed outright and one seriously injured. The dead: ENGINEER F. J. YEARGIN. FIREMAN HENDRISHTON of Ogden. FIREMAN DILLON of Brownassag. Another engineer, name not learned. The head brakeman of the freight was seriously, perhaps fatally, injured. A LATER ACCOUNT. SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Advices received by the Southern Pacific of-ficers in this city state that the train wreck in Nevada was not caused by the collision of a freight and passenger train, but by the collision of passenger No. 1 and a helper. The engineer of the helper overlooked his orders and proceeded on his trip, the passenger train being on time, a collision was inevitable. The accident occurred one mile east of Hot Springs, Nev., and not at White Plains, as stated.

BURNS MAY BENEFIT BY THE BREAK.

Barnes-Bulla Deal Kills Grant.

(Special to the Tribune.) CAPITOL, Sacramento, March 1.—The Senatorial convention was thrown into an uproar this morning over a multitude of changes that occurred when the ballot was taken and new life given to the situation. When Bulla's name was reached the first indication was given of what was to occur for the day. Barnes remained silent when his name was called. When, therefore, he cast his vote for Barnes, he started a wave of excitement that was renewed and intensified as one after the other of all those who have been voting for him, with the exception of Coper, followed suit. Then when the Bard vote went to Scott, when Coper did likewise and Greenwell changed back from Bulla to Grant, the excitement spread and the roll call closed in quite a tumult. After an effort had been made by members for another ballot to see if any further changes were in the air, an adjournment was taken and everyone proceeded to analyze the situation. Bulla when interviewed by your correspondent and asked point-blank if he had withdrawn Barnes, the contest declined to answer that question, but said: "I voted for Barnes because I want the deadlock to be broken. My supporters had no caucus on the proposition. As for the fact that they have broken their pledges to vote for a Southern man for Senator, I think they are absolved by reason of the fact that they have voted that way for sixty-five ballots without result." The story abroad that Barnes and Bulla made agreement whereby Bulla was to throw all his strength to Barnes on the representation that the General will then be able to draw votes from the Burns and Grant camps. Should Barnes fail to win, then he is to cast his vote for Bulla and see what the Angelinos can do with it. The Burns people are jubilant over the developments of this morning, for should Barnes fail to win, then he is to cast his vote for Bulla and see what the Angelinos can do with it. They are satisfied that neither Barnes nor Bulla will be able to do anything with their combination vote. The members of which will become disgusted at being fawked about this way, and will then scatter according to their own inclinations. Then it is that Burns will be able to take them into his fold. Another big point gained by the Burns people is as regards the absolute downfall of Grant. The San Diego has all along been relying on Bulla's Los Angeles vote going to him when it broke away from Bulla. His argument being that it would have to do on account of the pledge to vote for a Southern man for Senator. Now, though, that vote has scattered, and as Grant has failed to get any of it, it is plain to see that it has passed beyond his reach. Grant is therefore now regarded as dead duck, and as such as the Bulla-Barnes combination falls through, as is inevitable, a caucus will undoubtedly be held and the election of Burns will follow. The Grant people held a caucus at noon and decided to make an effort this afternoon to adjourn to open conference sine die. They will try to get the Barnes and Scott votes to stand in with them. Grant's supporters practically admit their man is out of it. HATTON.

CHANGES MADE IN SENATORIAL FIGHT.

SACRAMENTO, March 1.—Today's ballot (sixty-seventh) resulted as follows: BARNES 20 ESTEE 1 BURNS 25 GRANT 26 SCOTT 5 ROSENFIELD 1 WHITE 27 PHELAN 3 DE VRIES 1 Bulla voted for Barnes. Senators Gillette and Taylor, who have been voting for Bulla, changed to Barnes. Senators Rowell and Flint, who have been voting for Bard, voted for Scott. Coper, who has been voting for Bulla, went to Scott. Greenwell changed back from Bard to Grant. Belshaw, Boynton, Conrey, Melick, Miller of Los Angeles, Robinson and Valentine, who have been voting for Bulla, went to Barnes. Another ballot was ordered and resulted the same as the first. The convention adjourned.

THEY ARE OPPOSED TO LEAVITT'S BILL.

The attorneys in the water front case have issued a circular pointing out the defects in Senator Leavitt's harbor bill now before the Assembly. A committee of citizens will go to Sacramento tonight to lobby against the measure. MADRID, March 1.—The Reforma hears the Spanish government has received a dispatch from the United States protesting against the statements cable from Manila by General Rios, who formerly commanded the Spanish troops in the Philippines, relative to the situation of affairs there. The Correspondencia asserts that it has received such serious news from Manila that it believes it to be its duty not to publish it unconfirmed.

NO EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

House Accepts Senate Army Bill.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, March 1.—The House Military Committee has agreed to accept the Senate army bill without amendment. Great interest was manifested in the meeting of the House Military Committee, as it was felt that a complete acceptance of the Senate bill largely if not entirely removed the chance of an extra session. The session of the committee was spirited, and at one point Representative Marsh of Illinois withdrew from the ground that the course of the committee in adopting an amendment would open up the whole controversy and precipitate an extra session. After his withdrawal the amendment was reconsidered and withdrawn, and Mr. Marsh returned to the committee. The final vote on agreeing to the Senate bill was 40 to 3. Three Democrats, Sulzer, Cox and Jett, voted with seven Republicans in the affirmative. Two Democrats, Lenz and Hay, and one Republican, Brownlow, voted in the negative.

MONEY FOR OAKLAND'S BUILDING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, March 1.—Just as the final vote was taken on the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, an amendment was voted on at the instance of Senator Allison, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, appropriating money for the work for next year on all the public buildings which have been authorized by the present Congress; the appropriation for the year generally being one-half the total limit of costs. Following are some of the amounts appropriated in each case: Oakland, Cal., \$125,000; Harte, Montana, \$100,000; Salt Lake, Utah, \$150,000; Seattle, Washington, \$150,000; Stockton, Cal., \$40,000; Salem, Oregon, \$50,000. The amendment also authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to enter into contracts for the completion of the buildings within the limits provided.

MADRID EDITORS STILL WORRIED.

One Paper Has Manila News it Dare Not Publish.

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KILPING'S LIGHT HAS NOT FAILED.

A Slight Gain During the Night.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, March 1.—There has been no appreciable gain in the condition of Rudyard Kilping during the night. His three physicians, Dr. Janeway, Dr. Durham and Dr. Conland, remained in the Grenoble all night, but did not feel it necessary to remain in the sick man's apartments all night. Dr. Janeway stayed there for some time, so as to relieve the patient in case of need and not allow him to lose the little gain he has made since the crisis of Saturday night. This gain has not been great, but he is really better than at that time, and he has given the doctors hope. Dr. Durham appeared at 8 o'clock in the lower part of the hotel. He said: "I am fairly well pleased with the condition of Mr. Kilping. He is resting quietly." At 10 o'clock Mr. Doubleday said that the patient was in about the same condition. At 8 a. m. the following bulletin was issued: "Mr. Kilping had a better night and the symptoms have improved. The delirium was replaced by natural sleep. He is still seriously ill, and the fever, though less, still continues." E. G. JANEWAY, M. D. "THEODORE DUNHAM, M. D." "STILL IMPROVING." NEW YORK, March 1.—At 2:15 P. M., the physicians at the bedside of Mr. Kilping issued the following bulletin: "Mr. Kilping has gained since morning. The temperature and pulse are lower and in every direction improvement is noted." E. G. JANEWAY. "THEODORE DUNHAM."

NO BREAK IN THE DEADLOCKS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. HARRISBURG, Pa., Mar. 1.—Thirty-seventh ballot for Senator: Quay 105, Jenks 80, Dalzell 19, Stewart 5, Huff 7, Widner 2, Markle 1, Irvin 4, Stone 4, Tubbs 1, Rice 2, Smith 1, Grow 1, Ritter 2. CAUCUS IN NEBRASKA. LINCOLN, Neb., Mar. 1.—There was no change reported in the ballot for Senator today. The Republicans have agreed to go into a caucus tonight, all but one signing the call, and he has indicated his intention to be present and participate. NO CHANGE IN UTAH. SALT LAKE, Utah, Mar. 1.—The Senatorial ballot today resulted as follows: Cannon 7, King 5, McCune 11, Nebeker 9, Kidcott 2, Sutherland 20. Absent or not voting, 15.

MAHON FAILS TO APPEAR AGAINST FAYNE MOORE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, March 1.—The case of Mrs. Fayne Moore was again adjourned today until tomorrow, on account of the absence of the complaining witness, Martin Mahon. Justice Fursman announced that he would make an example of Mahon when he did appear. Assistant District Attorney McNulty stated that he was of the opinion that Mahon was secreting himself to avoid appearing in the case.

BIDS ASKED FOR THE GATES AT THE DAM.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works this morning Messrs. Thomas and Clement were present. A resolution was adopted which declared the plans prepared by the City Engineer and approved by the City Council are the plan of the Board of Public Works for the gates in the dam at the lake at Twelfth street. Another resolution was adopted instructing the Secretary of the Board to advertise for bids for the construction of the gate at the dam, propositions to be received up to 11 A. M., March 15th. The Board adjourned. Death of Mrs. Pantosky. Mrs. Marie Pantosky, wife of Jacob Pantosky, died today at her home, 375 Sixth street. She leaves a husband and five children. The funeral will take place Thursday.

REBELS READY FOR A BATTLE.

Throwing Up Earth on Which to Mount a Battery at Malabon.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. MANILA, March 1.—5:50 p. m.—The rebels are very active at Calocan and Malabon. They evidently intend to mount a battery in front of the Malabon church destroyed by the fire of the United States monitor Monadnock on February 27. They can be seen throwing up earth for gun and emplacements. 4:55 P. M.—There was the usual desultory firing yesterday evening and today, but only one casualty resulted, that of Private Parks, Company E, California Volunteers. The Nebraska volunteers at the reservoir had a slight brush with the enemy this morning. The rebels scattered in the jungles after the first volley. The United States transport Tacoma has arrived here without the loss of a horse or a mule. The Negroes commission have entertained several American officers and British subjects at their hotel, in return for the compliment paid them by General Oates. They sailed for Negros today. The United States transport St. Paul has embarked Colonel Smith, Major Sines, a battalion of the California Volunteers and the officers recently appointed to posts at Iloilo. The United States transport Arizona has arrived here.

NEW PARTY IS TO BE LAUNCHED.

Based on Principle of Initiative and Referendum.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CINCINNATI, O., Mar. 1.—A new political party is to be organized this week. The general conference began a session of two days at the Odd Fellows' Auditorium today. The new national organization is to be called the Union Reform party, and it will seek to amalgamate the Silver Republicans, the Populists, the Social Labor party and the Liberty party—in fact, all the minor parties except the Prohibitionists. In response to the call sent out by the chairman, R. E. Thompson, and Secretary M. A. Norf, there were seventeen States represented in the national conference. No credentials were required, as all who favor the referendum principles of direct legislation were admitted. The promoters of the proposed amalgamation hope to have their party organized and arranged so as to become a party in the Presidential contest next year. The conference was called to order by Chairman R. S. Thomas of the Ohio committee, who read the call and invited all those in favor of the initiative and referendum principles to sit in the convention. The following temporary organization was then reported and adopted: Chairman, A. G. Elshberger, Baltimore; Secretary, G. H. Lockwood, Vincennes, Ind.; Assistant Secretary, George B. Shire, Albany, N. Y. After a brief speech by the chairman, a motion was made to have the chairman appoint the usual committees. This was opposed, as inconsistent with the initiative and referendum principles. Some wanted everything considered in an open session convention. The session was devoted to this discussion.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Boutwell H. Sullivan of Plankinton, South Dakota, to be Registrar of the Land Office at Peavy, Alaska; Roland C. Nichols of Wapakoneta, Ohio, Receiver of Public Money at Peavy, Alaska; H. H. Riddell, to be postmaster at The Dalles, Oregon.

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MORE TYPEWRITER VICTORIES OF THE FILIPINO JUNTA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, March 1.—The Filipino European junta has received the following dispatch from Manila, dated February 28: "The last encounters have been real battles. We now hold Pasig, Paternos and Guadalupe. Our northern line has advanced to Tondo. The American losses are far larger in proportion than ours. We hold 600 American prisoners, who will be taken into the interior. Not one of our people has surrendered, and our government maintains its independence and will not yield." A Filipino telegram from Cebu asserts that the foreign residents have asked the insurgents to withdraw in order to avoid a bombardment. The Filipinos have acceded, trusting that their action will be brought before the foreign Consuls, with the view of arranging an equitable settlement with the Americans.

SPAIN'S RAKE OFF ON PHILIPPINES.

The Senate Passes the Indemnity Bill in a Jiffy.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, Mar. 1.—One of the first acts of the Senate, when that body convened at 11 o'clock today, was the consideration of the bill carrying \$20,000,000 with which to pay Spain for relinquishment of the Philippines in accordance with the treaty of Paris. Mr. Allison of Iowa reported the measure on the Committee on Appropriations and asked for its immediate consideration. The bill was laid before the Senate and in half a minute was passed without a word of debate.

LOS ANGELES, March 1.—The badly decomposed body of Rasmus Miller, an old soldier, was found in his cabin in the river bottom last night. He lived alone there, and had rigged a shotgun so as to pull the trigger with his toe and placed the muzzle in his mouth. The whole top of his head was blown off. The deed must have been done on Monday last. He had no relatives here.

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REPUBLICANS ARE READY FOR THE CITY CAMPAIGN.

SPEECHES MADE BY MANY OF THE CANDIDATES. OPENING GUN FIRED IN THE SECOND WARD

Pledges Made by Nominees Reasons Given Why Republicans Should Be Elected.

The Republicans fired the first gun of the campaign last evening and from the enthusiasm manifested, it from nothing else, it would appear that the coming election is to be a Republican sweep.

The first meeting was held in Milton Hall in the Second Ward, on San Pablo avenue and Twenty-eighth street. The auditorium was packed with representative citizens, while quite a number of the fairer sex sandwiched in the audience.

On the platform, the candidates took seats, where John Russ, president of the Second Ward Club officiated as chairman of the evening.

CHAIRMAN RUSSELL.

It was shortly after 8 o'clock that Mr. Russ called the meeting to order. "Gentlemen of the Second Ward," he said, "the Republican party never had better prospects than today. We know the Republicans of this city are loyal and we know that never before has there been such a good ticket as is presented to us now. I defy anyone to say against it. This ticket means its election from top to bottom. Three of the leading candidates are from this ward. That shows conclusively that in getting these nominations, we have good men in our ward."

"Now without further talk, I want to introduce the first speaker of the evening, R. E. Jackson, who is here to apologize for the absence of one of our candidates this evening."

SNOW'S SAD ABSENCE.

Mr. Jackson then took the floor, and started his talk by saying that he was but a plain voter and not a candidate.

"I appear here tonight," he said, "to offer the regrets of one who anticipated great pleasure in being one of you in this gathering. I think you will all sympathize with him in this, his greatest trial of life."

"Two years ago his wife was taken very ill and since then he has done everything any human being could do for her happiness and comfort and health. He received a dispatch yesterday afternoon from Northhoff saying she was passing away and in come quickly. I don't have to mention his name, for you all know R. W. Snow. He is here now by her bedside."

"Some weeks ago while with her in the South, he received a notice that the Municipal League had nominated him."

"What," said he, "have my wife for the Mayorship of Oakland and accept this nomination? No, I would not leave her for the Presidency of the United States." His poor sick wife said to him:

"No I want you to return to Oakland and accept this nomination. It is better so."

"They had talked over the matter many times concerning the condition of Oakland and the stagnation of improvements and mismanagement of the city government. So after thinking it over, Mr. Snow came back here and was mapping out an honorable campaign. He wanted to meet such a fine body of men as I see before me tonight, but yesterday he received a telegram which prevented him from so doing. He left at once to reach the side of his wife before she had breathed her last. Today I received a telegram saying merely: 'Mrs. Snow is alive.'"

"This honest, faithful, valiant servant of the public, is in dire distress. It depends upon you voters to elect him—elect this man who is the most honest and best of God's creation. He has been your faithful servant for ten years and now we must leave his future political welfare in your hands. I say you must elect him."

CITY ATTORNEY DOW.

In presenting W. A. Dow as the candidate for the office of City Attorney the chairman said: "It has evidently been the object of the Republican party to make nominations for the city offices using the names of men who have been tried and found true. They have not deviated from this principle when they put in nomination for City Attorney W. A. Dow. (Applause.) We would like to hear a few words from him now."

Mr. Dow spoke in part as follows: "Two years ago I stood before you as a candidate for the same office for which I am running at present. You gave me your support then and this is the first opportunity I have had to thank you for it."

"In making a canvass of this district I have found few who gave us their support two years ago that are not willing to give us their support now. I have found many others who are also with us now."

"It is almost impossible for one man

tion had died away, "and I feel at home among you. You all know I have been honored with the nomination by the Republican party and the Municipal League for City Engineer, which means also member of the Board of Public Works and Police and Fire Commissioners."

"After a man has served a number of years as a public official his record speaks for him better than he can for himself."

"My first two years in office have been a campaign of education. At the outset I found the city had no facilities for street work. Property-owners opposed spending 3 cents for street work, and I could not find any two men in this city who could agree on any definite plan whereby our street improvements could be made. I started a campaign of education, and I think the results speak for themselves."

"When I proposed to the City Council that the city pay one-half of the Twelfth-street improvements, I was hooted at, but perseverance won, and inside of six months every member of the Council voted for the measure."

"Heretofore it has cost the people \$3 a foot for re-dressing the streets. Now, about eight miles of re-dressing has been done at an expenditure of \$5 for each twenty-five feet. This came with the education and the improved condition of affairs made possible by studying how to keep the burden on the people as low as possible."

"I have now reached a place in my public career where I want to reach out, and so I feel justified in aspiring to the office of City Engineer. I feel that I am thoroughly familiar with the conditions of the city and know that I can render the people good service."

"It has been said that some workmen in Oakland are against Miller. I have been compelled, day after day, to refuse employment to some, not because I did not want to give it, for I did, but because of antagonizing the City Council and the Board of Public Works. If I antagonized the Board of Public Works, I would get this. (Here Miller drew his hand across his throat and the audience showed its knowledge of the meaning by applause.)"

"I have done my level best for the workmen of Oakland. I inaugurated a system of patching up the streets of the city, and for two and a half years, two and sometimes three gangs have been employed at the work. We have never had streets re-macadamized in Oakland before. The improvements on Twelfth street to East Oakland, Clay street and other streets, too many to mention, have given work to many men. The street cleaning is another salient feature. It is work you want, gentlemen, I say you have no grievance."

"I have felt awfully sorry to be obliged to tell some men whom I knew needed work that I could not give it to them at present, but I had to. The tax on the department for work has been very great. Why I have had men come to me with tickets which asked that they be put to work and on the cards they brought were private marks, telling me not to put them to work."

"I have always had the interests of the working man at heart and if I am elected a member of the Board of Public Works I will have greater opportunities to show this."

"But now to the Republican ticket. Tackling it altogether, it is an excellent one from top to bottom. The other ticket is somewhat spotted."

"The best orator does not necessarily make the best official. Clement, my opponent, is a royal good fellow, but I have found that I differ from him not only politically, but officially. Clement's one effort during my term and his in office has been to remove me from office and replace me with a man who has been for thirty-five years in the saloon business in Oakland. I don't think this saloon keeper is capable of performing the duties of the office, and I pledge you now if elected City Engineer I will see that a capable man is put in the place."

"You know my record. If you approve of it I want your votes; if not, vote for the other fellow."

REMARKS BY A. H. BREED.

A. H. Breed was introduced by the chairman as follows:

"When there was a vacancy in the office of City Auditor by Mr. Snow's

only helps me. I will never vote to license a saloon in a residence district. Take that and smoke it in your pipe."

"There are 2,300 names on the great register of the Second Ward. Now I will tell you how they will be divided. Mr. Cameron will get about 200, Mr. Geary about 600 and I will get about 1,500."

"Mr. Cameron is a good man, I guess, but when he was in the Council the water rates were higher than they are now. He said that the Italian club of North Oakland had endorsed him. I visited the club and found that no endorsement had been made. I think they will endorse me at their next meeting. He also said that the men on the street car line were going to vote for him. I give him one man in a hundred. If you think he is a better man, vote for him. But you are not going to do it. I can see it in your faces."

"Is there a man here to whom I refused to give a ticket to get work? I don't see any. I used to think that Mr. Miller was stuck up and had the big head. On one occasion some time ago he ordered me to remove some of my places from the sidewalk for he would have me arrested. Since that time I have come to the conclusion that he is honest and intelligent."

"I will have to say a good word for Mr. Dow. The trouble with him was that he was in the minority in the Board of Public Works."

"This time if I am elected I will give work only to my friends. When a man asks me for a job I will look in my book, and if he has voted for me I will give him a card. Just wait until I get in. I will do those who don't vote for me. What do you want with a new man? Am I not good enough for you? I know I am going to get elected and I thank you beforehand for your votes."

B. H. WELCH'S STAND.

B. H. Welch was next introduced as the nominee for Councilman-at-large from the Seventh Ward. He spoke somewhat briefly, but to the point, saying:

"I understand that the fact that I am not a Native Son and my period of residence in California is advanced as an argument derogatory of my present candidacy. Though I came to Oakland but eight years ago, yet my family is here and my money is invested here. God willing, my children will be raised and educated here. Morally, socially and politically, I feel as much interested in Oakland as any man."

"I favor the consolidation of the city and county government, the improvement of streets, parks for the city, yet there is one question which is paramount. It is the control by municipal ownership of the city's water supply. I think it is the duty of every citizen to do all he can to secure a municipal water supply and while this idea is pending, I think we ought to have water rates made as reasonable as possible."

"On the other hand, I believe in every corporation securing a fair rate of interest upon its investment."

"I desire to thank the Republicans of the city for the nomination they have given me and to assure them that if elected they will have an honest administration at my hands."

STETSON TALKS BRIEFLY.

George R. Stetson, nominee for Councilman-at-large, next took the floor, after a brief introduction by Chairman Russ, during which he said it was time the young men were placed in office once in a while.

"We are not here tonight to make lengthy speeches," said Mr. Stetson, "and I am glad of it. As to the issues of the campaign—I stand solidly on the Republican platform and intend to further this platform all I can. I have been a resident of this city for twenty years, and feel that I can be of service toward the betterment of the city."

"I believe the annexed district should have some representation, and I will do my best to see that the Second Ward is taken care of if I am elected to the Council."

"I want to have the whole Republican ticket elected from top to bottom; with myself included."

GIRARD TALKS VIGOROUSLY.

F. R. Girard was presented as the candidate of the Second Ward for Councilman. He was received with hearty applause.

"I have always tried to keep my trust with the people," said Mr. Girard, "and if you think I have not done so I ask you not to vote for me. Vote for the others if you think they have done their duty. If you think I am fit vote for me and return me to office."

"Mr. Miller knows that I tried to get the poor men in my ward employment in the streets. I have told Mr. Miller in some cases that the man had ten children. I stretched a point to get them work. (Laughter.) Mr. Miller told me that Mr. Thomas and Mr. Clement told him who to put to work. Mr. Clement said to me, 'Let us work together.' But he has not done so. He never got one man a job that I sent to him. I never spoke to Mr. Thomas since he was elected Mayor."

"I say that I am a crank and that I talk to the gallery. The way the men were employed on the Eighth street bridge is enough to make any man talk to the gallery. I am not referring to Mr. Dow when I speak of the action of the Board of Public Works in this matter. I was in favor of employing only Oakland laborers on the work."

"I know there are men in this ward who are not going to vote for me, but that don't make any difference."

"I received a telephone message from Golden Gate recently stating that the wind was blowing there and that they wanted a sprinkling cart sent out. And why should they not have one? They pay their taxes the same as we do. I spoke to Mr. Clement about the matter. He told me to get a sprinkler from the Second Ward and send it out. I did so. Now I don't care whether you vote for me or not. I know that I am going to get elected as sure as I know that the sun is going to shine tomorrow. There was a protest against some saloons in this district. They were located where the school children had to pass them every day on their way to school. It was what you would call a bowery and a patch. Now it is respectable. These saloon men are now trying to get votes away from me. It

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The man who is as "mad as a March hare" can now go out to one of the courting parks and get a line on himself.

With coal retailing at \$25 a ton, no wonder such awful suffering existed during the recent cold spell among the poor of New York. The title of "black diamonds" seems a very appropriate one at such a time.

A legislator's first duty is to his party, rather than to any particular individual. Those candidates who are, therefore, endeavoring to prevent the members from breaking the deadlock so that their own selfish ends may be subserved should be given no consideration whatever. It is the eleventh hour, and the Republicans of the State demand that their representatives at Sacramento elect a United States Senator. If a caucus is the only way by which this can be done, then a caucus it must be.

The whole world is watching anxiously the outcome of the struggle Kipling is having with the grim reaper, for literature can ill afford to lose such a "sweet singer" so soon. Kipling's forceful verse long since stamped him as a man of genius, and as his later efforts have borne more and more the marks of a true poet it would be sad to have his voice hushed before he has reached the zenith of his career. If he lives, it is certain that it is but a question of time ere he becomes the poet laureate of England.

COLLEGE PROFESSOR VERSUS MERCHANTS.
Professor George Herron, of the Chair of Applied Theology in Iowa College, at Grinnell, Ia., is again in hot water of his own brewing. He has told a political meeting in Chicago where he was practicing his peculiar type of theology, that as a father confessor to a certain capitalist, he has come into possession of the knowledge that the war between Spain and the United States was brought about by a conspiracy of merchants purely for their own gain, by means of subsidizing Congress and the press of the country. These merchants, he says, divided up a profit of thirty millions. The theologian intimates, with a tone of bluff, that smacks rather of Chicago and the world than of theology and Iowa College, that some day he may tell the names and the terms of the compact.

These charges are serious enough, whatever may be thought of their source. Professor Herron has gone too far to be allowed to take the pot without showing his hand. We trust that the whole body of American merchants, whom he has thus impeached, will call the turn on him. Let him give the names and terms at once, without waiting for his own convenience. Let him, at the same time, name the "certain capitalist" for whom he stands as father confessor.

This, certainly, is a matter in which President George A. Gates of Iowa College will have the right, and the obligation as well, to take a hand. He must curb this vicious and runaway young colt of a theological professor. The college president lately stood behind this professor most nobly and bravely, maintaining his right to the utmost freedom of speech on matters theological in his classes, offering to resign the presidency rather than to have the license of the professor abridged.

FABIOLA NURSES' HOME.
In her modest, yet earnest and inspiring, annual report of the Fabiola Hospital, presented in the columns of the Tribune on February 4th, its president, Mrs. Sarah B. Yule, said: "The next great need of this hospital is a home for nurses. The care of the sick is exhausting to mind and body, and it is important that during the hours of duty the nurses have a home entirely removed from the hospital, where they can rest and have proper recreation. We shall hope that another year will bring this much-needed nurses' home."

It is rarely that the expression of a hope so promptly brings its fulfillment. The announcement is now made that, through the generous thoughtfulness of Mrs. Isaac L. Requa, Fabiola Hospital is to have at once an admirable home for the separate housing and other uses of its nurses. This lady has turned over to the Hospital the large house on New Broadway until recently used by the Red Cross Society as a home for convalescent soldiers. It is situated near enough to the hospital for the instruction of the nurses, and for the needs of the patients, while it is far enough away to secure the degree of segregation described in the president's report as needful. Mrs. Requa, who is the chairman of the nurses' training school, is putting everything in order for this important new departure of her department on its field of larger usefulness, and she will soon have under her direction a body of forty young women devoted to the acquisition and practice of healing ministrations.

There are few institutions so well endowed as Fabiola with members both able and disposed to fulfill its prophecies and anticipate its wants.

ADMIRAL DEWEY'S SAFE HARBOR.
Admiral Dewey has reiterated to a newspaper correspondent the declaration he made several weeks ago in a personal letter to his friend, Judge Brawley of South Carolina, to the effect that under no circumstances can he be induced to become a candidate for the presidency. This declaration was news at that time. There is no news about it now. Admiral Dewey is not a man who needs to repeat his statements in order to be believed. Doubtless, it will be a source of relief and pride to the great exponent of America's new-found sea power to know that he is thus, by virtue of his own native dignity, modesty and good sense, relieved from the penalties and trials of running for an office so hotly and oftentimes so unworthily contested as the presidency.

Nothing remains to add to these words with which the Oakland Tribune welcomed this utterance when it was first given to the public: "Admiral Dewey has taken the most modest and graceful method and the earliest and most opportune moment to install himself forever high above the stormy and dubious plane of politics. Dewey is to be no rival to the nation's great leader, President McKinley. It is well, perhaps, for the repute of both these representative Americans that this fact is assured by Admiral Dewey's timely and sagacious words."

The public schools are not to suffer as a result of the shortage in the city treasury. For the transfer from the general fund ensures enough ready money to keep them going. The City Council has done the right thing in putting the educational needs at the head of our necessities, for the closing of our schools would be as much a public calamity as anything else that could happen.

WILLIAMSON SUES THE TREASURER.
J. C. Williamson has petitioned the Superior Court for a writ of mandamus requiring County Treasurer A. W. Redler to appear before the court and show cause why a preliminary writ should not be issued compelling him to pay a rebate on taxes collected at a rate higher than the one for the present year. The petitioner asks for the return of \$7,500 paid at the rate of \$1.15, while the Board of Supervisors subsequently fixed the rate for the fiscal year at \$1.00. The petition is based on a recent decision of the Supreme Court in a similar case.

BLACK PATTI SINGS TONIGHT.
An Excellent Production of Old "Foggy's Ferry."

This evening and tomorrow night, Black Patti's Troubadours appear at the Macdonough Theater. Among the novelties of this season's repertoire of Troubadours is an exciting cake-walk contest. This famous feature has scored a tremendous success everywhere. It excites an audience into enthusiasm over the winning couple. As in all cake-walk contests, the audience acts as judges and the cake is awarded to the couple receiving the greatest amount of applause. It sometimes happens that the house is divided in its choice of the winner, and the fun begins when the tie is being worked out.

Among the members of the company is Ernest Hogan. This colored performer has achieved a reputation which extends all over the country. He is an excellent singer, a first-class dancer and a comedian of the first order. Every member, in fact, of the troupe, is an artist. There ought, therefore, to be a large audience on both occasions.

THE DEWEY.
At the Dewey Theater, the interesting melodrama, "Foggy's Ferry," still holds the boards. The first performance, Monday night, was an even one, but it has been improved upon by the performances which have taken place since. As a consequence, there has been no more clever presentation of several of the acts of this piece to a close. It is the explosion of a bomb which is placed in a river with the intention of blowing up a steamer on which the hero is being home to a place where he hopes to secure proof to circumvent the villain. The location of the bomb, however, is discovered by the heroine in time to explode it by a pistol shot from the bank just in time to prevent the steamer from striking it, thus averting loss of life of innocent passengers and the probable death of the hero.

YOUNG OSBOURNE FINDS A HOME.
John Osbourne, the 16-year-old boy who was taken before Judge Ogden Saturday for commitment to Whittier Reform School, will not now go to that institution. His uncle, C. A. Stanbridge, of San Francisco, and a cousin have communicated with Judge Ogden and have made provisions for the boy to learn a trade without going to a reform school.

Mr. Stanbridge had heard from Osbourne's father that the boy had left his home last October and that he was thought to have started westward. He was surprised, however, to learn that he had been arrested as a vagrant and was about to be sent to a reform school. A good home will be provided for young Osbourne and he will be given an opportunity to learn whatever trade he likes. His good fortune is due to the forbearance of Judge Ogden in the matter. He was impressed with the boy's honesty and made inquiries for his relatives.

Mining Deal.
The report comes from Tacoma that A. M. Hitchcock of this county has bonded seventeen quartz claims in the Glacier mining district for \$200,000. The sum of \$100,000 was paid down and \$100,000 more is to be paid when possession is taken and the balance next year.

"Honesty is the Best Policy."
Never was a more pointed saying put into print, and yet to be honest only because it is policy is a poor kind of honesty. Better change "policy" to "principle" and the world will like you better. In the medical world there is one medicine honest for principle's sake—and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

LORD HERSCHEL DIES SUDDENLY.
An Eminent Statesman Passes Away in Washington.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, March 1.—Lord Herschel, one of the high joint commissioners from Great Britain, died here at 7:30 o'clock this morning.

Lord Herschel was Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, and was sent to the United States, because of his eminent attainments, to take a leading part in the negotiations designed to settle all existing differences between the United States and Canada.

During the wintry weather, when the sidewalks were slippery, he fell heavily as he was about to get into his carriage and broke one of the pelvic bones. He seemed to be progressing favorably towards recovery, and was in good health comparatively until 7 o'clock this morning, when he suddenly was stricken with heart failure.

Dr. W. W. Johnson was summoned. He saw at a glance that the case was a desperate one, and called Dr. Maddox in consultation. The two doctors, two nurses and Lord Herschel's two secretaries, Mr. Gurney and H. E. D. Worth Williams, were with him when he died half an hour later.

SKETCH OF THE DEAD MAN.
NEW YORK, March 7.—Farrer Herschel, the first Baron of that name of the Anglo-American-Canadian High Joint Commission, recently in session at Washington, whose death occurred in that city today, was born November 2, 1837. He was a son of the late Rev. Ridley Herschel of London and Helen, daughter of William O. Moberg of Edinburgh. He married in 1877 a third daughter of Edward Leigh Kinsley. They have a son and two daughters living.

Baron Herschel was a Privy Councillor, a Knight Grand Cross of the Bath, doctor of civil law, doctor of laws, a justice of the peace, Captain of Deeds Castle, Chancellor of London University and was appointed British member of the Venezuela and English Guianan boundary in 1897. He was knighted in 1880 and was created a peer in 1889.

Lord Herschel was educated at London University, where he graduated bachelor of arts with classical honors. SUPREME COURT'S INQUIRY. WASHINGTON, March 1.—The Supreme Court of the United States adjourned upon the announcement of Lord Herschel's death.

GEORGE BECK STRUCK WITH A SLING SHOT.
George Beck, a well known pharmacist of San Francisco, and son of John Beck of Livermore, was assaulted by an unknown man in the rear of the Rose Hotel at Pleasanton at 11 o'clock last night. He was struck on the head with a sling shot and blooded down. Beck is an athlete of no mean ability, and though partially stunned by the blow, he regained his feet and made it so interesting for his assailant that the latter finally fled.

PASSING OF A GENTLE SPIRIT.
Mrs. R. W. Snow Dies After a Long Illness.

Mrs. Mary Snow, wife of R. W. Snow, Auditor of this city, died at an early hour this morning, near Northoff, in the Ojai Valley, Ventura county, after a lingering illness.

When it was apparent that the end was near, Mrs. Snow's husband was notified of the fact and he, accompanied by his daughter, Gertrude, hastened Monday last to the bedside of the dying woman. There was but a short time left in which to make the journey, but husband and daughter arrived in time to take a sad farewell of the woman who was to them the dearest person on earth.

Mrs. Snow was born in Illinois, her maiden name being Miss Mary Barrows. She spent the earlier years of her life in Chicago, where she met her husband. They were married there about twenty-five years ago, and after the marriage they came to this city, where they established their home. There was one child born to them, a daughter, Gertrude, who has now grown to womanhood.

Mrs. Snow was a prominent member of the First Congregational Church, with which organization her husband was also connected. She was zealous in the performance of her religious duties and active in promoting several church organizations in behalf of the heathen and the poor. She was especially interested in the work of the Ladies Aid Society of the church and her services were considered so valuable that she held the position of secretary for three terms. When Mrs. Snow's health began to fail, she was obliged to sever her active relations with the organization which had engrossed so much of her time.

She died about three years ago. During the time that she had been in health, she had been in the habit of visiting her husband and returning to his business Monday morning.

Mrs. Snow returned to her home in this city from Napa several months ago. About a month since, she was taken by her husband to Northoff, while there attending his wife. Mr. Snow was notified of his nomination by the Municipal League and the Republican parties, as their candidate for Mayor of this city. He had intended to remain for some time with his wife, but was impelled to return to this city to open up his campaign at the express request of his wife.

Last Monday night Mr. Snow was informed that the end of his beloved's life was near, and the information brought him and his daughter to the closing scene at the death bed.

Mrs. Snow was a model woman. She had a gentle disposition, a kindly heart, a sympathetic and generous nature, and her life was a life of kindness and benevolence. She was well beloved by all who knew her, and the influence of her gentle and consistent example will not so be forgotten by those who enjoyed her acquaintance.

LIFE SENTENCE FOR HARRY CLARK.
Youthful Murderer of a Chinese Sent to San Quentin.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 1.—Harry Clark, the young man who was convicted several months ago of the murder of Wong Sing Hay, a wealthy Chinese laundryman, was today sentenced by Judge Clark to serve a life sentence in San Quentin penitentiary.

The murder was a brutal one, the Chinese being shot in the head and neck with a shotgun, and the body hidden under the house occupied by Constable Joseph Hunter, where the shooting occurred.

After Clark's conviction he made a confession in which he said Hunter did the murder. Hunter was tried and acquitted, and immediately left the country. Every means has been exhausted to save Clark, who comes of a good family.

HUNTING DOWN THE TRAITORS.
Paris Police Seize the Books and Papers of Conspirators.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. PARIS, Mar. 1.—The police today searched the residences of the officials and members of the League of the French Fatherland, the League of the Rights of Men and Baron Le Goux, president of the Bonapartist Committee. Numbers of documents, books and accounts were seized, and the offices of the leagues were closed.

The most important papers were found at the residence of Baron Le Goux, who is the representative of Prince Victor Napoleon.

RAISED MONEY TO FIGHT HER CASE.
Mrs. C. K. Kennedy, who is suing R. C. Kennedy for a divorce, has mortgaged a lot on Webster street to J. P. Taylor for \$500. She was recently refused alimony and takes this means of raising the money to fight her case. The trial of her suit has been set for March 10th. Kennedy has filed an answer and cross-complaint. He conducts a dairy near Mt. Eden. Mrs. Kennedy claims that he harbored a mysterious woman in his barn for seven years.

Robbers Arraigned.
Frank Hyer and Frank McMullan, the two young men arrested by Deputy Constable Quinn for holding up Soren Poulsen, the milkman, Saturday, were arraigned before Justice Lane yesterday and had their preliminary examination set for Friday. They are confined in the County Jail in default of \$1,000 bail.

Father Time's scythe is a weapon that no man can escape. Sooner or later it must lay all men low.
With premature death it is different. Nature intended that every man should live a long and useful life, and die a peaceful, painless death. Men defeat the intention of a beneficent Providence by the manner in which they live, their disregard of the laws of health and their utter failure to protect health when it is threatened and restore it when it is lost. The most common result of neglect of health is that dread disease, consumption. Not many years ago it was considered incurable. Now it is known that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 95 per cent. of all cases if taken in time. That is its record during the last thirty years. Many of the thankful patients have permitted their names, experiences and photographs to be reproduced in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. Any sufferer who wishes to investigate these cases may secure a copy of this book free, by sending 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of postage only, to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and then write to the patients themselves. In consulting Dr. R. V. Pierce by letter, the sufferer consults a skillful specialist who for thirty years has been chief consulting physician to the great invalids of Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. With the assistance of a staff of able physicians, he has successfully treated tens of thousands of cases of bronchitis, throat and lung affections. He will cheerfully answer letters from all sufferers, without charge. Address the Doctor as above.

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NON-PARTISANS OF BERKELEY.

Will Hold Nominating
Convention Next
Saturday.

BERKELEY, March 1.—The Non-Partisans will hold their nominating convention next Saturday night. As the candidates elected by them two years ago were all, with the exception of Marshall Lloyd, renominated by the Republicans, the only fight will be over the Marshall's office. There is no doubt that the Non-Partisans will renominate Marshall Lloyd to run against George Stewart, who was nominated last Saturday night by the Republicans. The Non-Partisan City Central Committee, consisting of A. D. Lockwood, First ward; Douglas Keith, Second ward; Louis Javette, Third ward; D. A. Keane, Fourth ward; Charles McClaine, Fifth ward; Thomas Dowd, Sixth ward; and W. C. Curtis, Seventh ward, has chosen delegates to the convention, fifteen from each of the seven wards.

The new Republican City Central Committee met at the Republican headquarters in the Schmidt block and organized by electing B. C. Marilave chairman, Paolo Salisbury secretary and G. A. Schuster treasurer.

The members of the University Athletic Association are indignant at the action of one Howard P. Taylor of San Francisco, who has the sublime impudence to tour the East arranging for a series of football matches, as it were, for the football team of Berkeley and Stanford. Taylor is representing himself as the organizer of an All-California football team, to be made up of Berkeley and Stanford players with a few others chosen in for good measure. He has already booked his phantom team to play prominent Eastern college eleven between October 25th and Christmas. All this is done without the slightest authority from the California Universities and Football Manager Alma declares Taylor is an imperial faker.

At a special meeting of the University Regents held yesterday the report of the Building Committee on the Wilmerding School of Industrial Arts was accepted. The committee reported a plan whereby \$10,000 can be saved in the construction of the school's foundation. The committee was instructed to investigate the matter of changing the proposed site of the school to a lot adjoining the Lick school, several blocks distant from the present location.

Manager Muma of the University football team received a dispatch yesterday from Garrett Cochran, dated Silver City, N. Mex., which leads him to believe that the University will be able to secure Cochran's services as a football coach next year.

About thirty football men are taking wrestling practice in the gymnasium four times a week instead of out-door work on the gridiron.

For the University Extension lectures, announced to be given by Professor L. T. Henszler on international law in Mark Hopkins Institute, Saturday morning, beginning March 4th, a subscription is announced. The lectures will be by Professor Carl C. Fitch on the topic, "Our Finances in the Spanish War."

It is announced that President Harper of the Chicago University, besides making the principal address on Charter Day here, will speak to the students only on Wednesday, March 23d. The address will be given in the gymnasium.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

ALAMEDA, March 1.—The City Trustees have adopted an ordinance fixing the water rates at the same figures as those of last year.

Something of a panic has been created among the numerous candidates for city offices by the discovery that some fifteen of them have laid themselves liable to arrest and a maximum fine of \$500 or three months' imprisonment. Their attention has been called to the city ordinance prohibiting the taking of placards on lamp-posts and poles, which have been almost hidden by candidates' cards. If they are not taken down at once the police will make wholesale arrests.

A. C. Bates, George A. Mantell and W. D. Littlejohn have been appointed on the Campaign Committee of the Municipal League to fill the vacancies caused by the resignations of Messrs. Langley, Lovely and Jenkins. Rooms at 2422 Central avenue have been engaged by this committee.

The City Trustees have dismissed the charges against Policeman Meobius for arresting five boys for malicious mischief, and the officer is exonerated.

The funeral services of Richard Pomeroy were held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the First Methodist Episcopal Church. The Rev. E. P. Dennett preached the sermon.

Professor E. E. Brown of the University of California lectured last night before the Alameda Teachers' Club on "Modern American Architecture."

The Unitarian Club will give a ladies' night this evening. Among those to appear on the program are Sigismund Blummann, Oscar Frank and W. J. Hynes.

Policeman Sergeant Schumacher has resigned his position and will resume his duties as a patrolman. Officer Kamp succeeds him.

Mortuary.

August Jennin, a native of St. Louis, Mo., aged 51 years, died Monday at 1518 Broadway.
Annie R. Jacobson, aged 77 years, a native of Illinois, died Monday at 329 Eighth street. Interment will take place at Cypress Lawn Cemetery.
Minnie E. Graham, aged 34, a native of Michigan, died Monday at 204 Chestnut street.

Case Dismissed.

Fred Spring, an 8-year-old schoolboy, was brought into the Police Court, having been arrested upon a warrant charging him with battery and assault on J. M. Roseberry. When Judge Smith saw the diminutive prisoner he said: "You go home and you need not come back, the case is dismissed."

THE HOMLIEST MAN IN OAKLAND

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MERCHANTS IN WEEKLY SESSION.

Postal Rates and Water
Conservation Are
Discussed.

The Merchants' Exchange met last night in regular session, President Arner in the chair. There were present Vice-President Brown, Secretary Walker and Directors Witchee, Sinclair, Sohst, Farwell, Schluter, Cushing.

Treasurer Cushing's monthly report was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The committee to which was referred the communication from the Council in regard to the harbor bill asked for further time in which to report, which was granted.

An application for membership was received from F. N. Nuneenmacher, who had been favorably reported by the Application Committee. Mr. Nuneenmacher has succeeded to the business of Director Weidensheim. On motion the rules were suspended and Mr. Nuneenmacher was elected.

A communication was received from the Trade's League of Philadelphia in reference to the excessive charges now paid by the Government to the railroads for carrying the mails. It asked the Exchange to co-operate in an effort to have Congress reduce the rates.

The matter was referred to a committee of three, consisting of Directors Schluter, Witchee and Brown, to report at the next meeting.

Another communication was received asking the Exchange to use its influence in securing the non-interference with private property on the high seas during time of war. Referred to same committee.

Director Farwell presented for the consideration of the Exchange the constitution and by-laws of the Society for the Conservation of California Forests and Water Supply. Secretary Walker read the document, and an informal discussion of the society's aims and objects followed.

Director Witchee said he had no doubt that every commercial body in the State would belong to the society. He thought it would be of great benefit to the Oakland merchants and the community generally to help the work of the society in every possible way.

Director Witchee moved that the secretary communicate with the officers of the society in San Francisco and find out what would be expected and find out in case it joined the society and what the annual dues would be. The motion was carried.

The Exchange then adjourned.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

W. C. Hopkins is in Stockton.

Adrian Tobey has returned from a month's visit to his brother, C. A. Tobey of Los Gatos.

G. W. McNear was in Hanford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Humphrey of East Oakland have just returned from a visit to the East.

George W. Reed, the attorney, has gone to Napa on business.

Mrs. J. E. Bailey has returned to Salinas after spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives in Alameda.

Miss Elsa Epstein and Milton Epstein of Alameda have gone to San Diego for a couple of months.

Mrs. Mary A. Roney has returned from a brief visit to Santa Rosa.

Miss Lillian Dues of Alameda has returned from a visit to friends in Santa Rosa. She expects to leave soon for an extended Eastern visit.

A. J. Lyons of Berkeley has gone to Vacaville on business.

Sam P. Mesick of Alameda has gone on a business trip through Oregon.

P. N. Remillard was recently the guest of Frank Rehborn of Fresno.

Mrs. M. Hyman is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilzinski of Valicjo.

F. Adams is now practicing law in Placerville.

Judge James Smith of Humboldt county is visiting relatives in Berkeley.

Miss Mae Hunt of Berkeley has returned from a brief visit to Now Alameda.

Gerald Foster of Carbondale is visiting his cousin George Mandell of Berkeley.

E. R. Dow of Berkeley is among the guests at the Pacific Ocean House, Santa Cruz.

Dr. J. A. D. Hutton of Berkeley was recently in Stockton.

W. F. Maxwell is a guest at the Imperial, Stockton.

Mrs. Josephine Aston of Berkeley has taken up her residence in this city.

Fred Maskey of Berkeley is spending a few days in Ukiah.

John S. Ergan of Alameda is seriously ill at his home.

A. Kempey and wife are among the recent arrivals at the Horton, San Diego.

County Superintendent of Schools Crawford went to Sacramento last evening.

Colonel George C. Babcock of Alameda is in Sacramento.

Charles Klempfer of Elmhurst was visiting friends in Alameda yesterday.

William Nat Friend is in Sacramento.

F. M. Travers of Berkeley is in San Mateo.

Thomas E. Dwyer of Sacramento has been visiting friends in Oakland.

"Our Lady of Guadalupe" Church covered five years ago no leak since. A. Grethwell, Mongol Paint and Roofing, San Francisco. Leave orders M. L. Schenker, Ninth and Washington streets.

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CANDIDATES IN FOURTH WARD.

Speeches Made Before
Improvement
Club.

A successful meeting of the Fourth Ward Independent Improvement Club was held in Montana Hall last evening. The hall was well filled with the representative men of the ward.

President A. C. McTavish called the meeting to order and after stating briefly the object of the meeting, called upon the secretary to read the resolution which called for the abatement of the nuisance in front of the Tompkins school and which each candidate was called upon to endorse.

COL. T. F. GARRITY.

Colonel Thomas F. Garrity, candidate for City Attorney, was called upon as the chief speaker of the evening.

After thanking the club for the opportunity and invitation to address the organization the speaker in a very able manner congratulated the members upon the step they had taken toward the improvement of the ward and the entire city. He said the action of the club had given the ward work an impetus which was bound to bring about good results and which, if the good work were continued, would ultimately result in the city becoming a beauty spot in which it would be a delight to live.

In speaking of his own candidacy, the Colonel said in part:

"I wish to state my position in the present campaign. When I was placed in nomination I was at home sick in bed. I knew nothing of the action taken until it was all over and I thought that I would not run for office. My friends prevailed upon me to do so and now I am in the fight to win and I propose to give my opponent as interesting a contest as it is possible."

"Some very disagreeable statements have been made by some of the papers, but I think you can all see the African in the woodpile, and I will state that I stand on my record as a citizen and as an attorney in spite of any vilifying statements these particular papers can make. If you see fit to elect me, gentlemen, I assure you that my course there will be as independent as it has been in the past."

R. M. CLEMENT.

R. M. Clement, candidate for re-election to the office of City Engineer, was the next speaker.

He began by stating that he had attended the Tompkins school with the president of the club, and he was familiar with the conditions referred to in the resolution read at the beginning of the meeting as well as the other needed improvements which would result in a betterment of the conditions of the ward.

He then stated that as he was not an orator he had prepared a statement which he would read. He then proceeded to read his statement which referred to the good work accomplished by his office during his term. It outlined his policy. He called attention to the uncalculated attacks made upon the conduct of his office by an evening paper which he denounced as wantonly false and malicious. He declared himself a friend of the laboring classes and that he would endeavor to do for them what he believed should be done in his life, either public or private, which was not honest and upright, and promised a continuance of the good administration of his office if re-elected on the 13th day of March.

JOHN E. OREGAN.

John E. Oregon, candidate for Councilman-at-large, followed. He spoke briefly as follows.

"I am happy in being with you tonight, as I am personally acquainted with most of you. I am thoroughly in accord with your movement to abate this nuisance in front of the Tompkins school. If I am elected on the 13th day of March I assure you it will be one of my first acts as a Councilman to co-operate with you toward obtaining this much needed improvement. If you place me in the Council I assure you that you will never have cause to regret it."

ABE JONAS.

Abe Jonas, candidate for Councilman-at-large, was next introduced. He spoke in part as follows:

"It gives me great pleasure to be with you and to identify myself with your organization. As I understand it, you are organized to improve your ward first and then the whole city. I approve of your policy, and I will state that I am in favor of the city being run on a business basis. I have been in business in this city for twenty-three years and all my interests are here. If elected I shall endeavor to conduct the business of the city as I would my own. There is no reason for the city paying more for the things which it needs than private business firms would be required to pay for the same things. I am in favor of the city being run at a lower rate of taxation than it has been for some time past. I am also in favor of building the city up and making it a great business center, with manufacturing concerns and employment for all instead of having it known as a bedroom for San Francisco."

"I was forced into this fight, you might say, and while I did not know much about politics before that, I have learned a thing or two since, and I can now see where a great deal of our money has been spent unwisely."

"My watchword will be, it is elected. 'The people's interests first, last and all the time.'"

JOHN DENAHY.

John Denahy, candidate for Councilman in the Fourth ward, was called on and briefly stated his position as follows:

"Being a member of the club and a resident of the ward, I am familiar with the needs of this section of the city."

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city. If elected to the Council I will do all in my power to bring about such improvements as are most needed.

FRED A. CAMPBELL.

Fred A. Campbell, candidate for Councilman-at-large, was next called upon. He spoke at some length upon the existing conditions in Oakland, which he said had caused many fine stores to become vacant, the grass to grow in the streets, at it were, and the town to be dying of dry rot. He called attention to the fact that many mechanics capable of earning \$8 and \$4 a day were out of work and willing to do anything to keep from starving. As a solution to this problem he urged that an entirely new set of men be elected to the Council for an experiment, promising that after two years had passed none would regret their action.

At the conclusion of the last address a vote of thanks was extended the visiting candidates and the meeting adjourned.

CLERK HENNESSEY FILES HIS REPORT.

Police Court Clerk Hennessey has prepared his report for the month of February. The report shows the total amount of fines imposed to be \$1,071. Of this amount \$44 was collected. Of the amount collected \$37 was for forfeitures, the balance being fines paid. The report was filed with the City Auditor today, and the money paid to the City Treasurer.

CEMETERY CREEK STREET OPENING.

There remains less than twelve days in which to pay the assessments for the Cemetery creek street opening. Of the \$10,775.49 nothing has been paid as yet. A few of those on the list have called at the office of the Superintendent of Streets to look the matter up, but none have as yet paid.

The indications are that there will be a fight against the opening of this street.

INDEPENDENTS AT WEST OAKLAND.

The Campaign Committee of the Independent party has arranged for a mass meeting to be held in Hansen's Hall, West Oakland, to-morrow evening. Speeches will be made by John L. Davis, Thomas F. Garrity, R. M. Clement and others.

Mrs. Childs' Estate.

H. C. Childs has applied for letters of administration on the estate of his deceased mother, Jane Childs. The estate consists of \$120 in bank and real estate on Eleventh and Grove streets valued at \$2,000. The petitioner, George Childs, W. A. Childs and Lillie F. Hobbit are the heirs at law.

BRAY OPENS DEWEY SCHOOL.

Fine Structure in Which
to Train Young
Americans.

Another educational establishment now graces this section of Alameda county. It is the Dewey school, erected at the corner of Washington street and Merrill avenue, in Bray school district, under the auspices of the Trustees of that district, Walter M. Axtell, J. McArthur and C. E. Powell.

The building is of frame nearly three stories high, well lighted and ventilated. It contains eight class rooms and one assembly room, besides four smaller rooms for other purposes. It is located on a spacious enclosure, a large part of which was donated by E. A. Brugliere, the rest being bought by the school district.

The building was taken possession of yesterday by the school children and teachers of the district, who marched from the Moroso warehouse, in which class has been held while the new school was in course of erection. There were three classes in the transfer, and they were in the charge of J. C. Hammett, principal; Miss Sara Van Lente and Miss M. Berber, respectively. In these classes there were 153 children.

The new school needs only the exterior painting to be complete. It is a pretty structure, the pride of the district, and cost with the ground on which it stands \$15,000.

By way of recognizing the kindness of Mr. Moroso, the following self explanatory note signed by the Trustees, teachers and about 20 residents of the district, was sent to that gentleman Saturday last:

"Walter Moroso, Esq.—Dear Sir: We, the undersigned, do hereby give you our heartfelt thanks for your unselfish generosity and liberality in surrendering your warehouse to us for our use as a school until our building should be completed, and for your patience in waiting until we should declare ourselves ready to move."

"Now, however, we are all ready to get into our new building, and shall do so on Monday morning next. We shall leave your building the same as we found it, and wish to say to you that we will have a flag raising and dedication when our building is all done, and hope to be favored with your presence. We will notify you when ready."

"WALTER M. AXTELL,
"C. E. POWELL,
"J. McARTHUR."

RESIGNATION OF SPAIN'S CABINET.

The Queen Regent Has
More Trouble on
Her Hands.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MADRID, March 1.—Senator Sagasta has handed the resignation of the Ministry to the Queen Regent.

The Cabinet Crisis is expected to last for two or three days, as it will be necessary for the Queen Regent to consult with the President and other political leaders. In the meanwhile the chambers will adjourn until a new Ministry is formed.

The Ministerialists hope the Queen Regent will support Senator Sagasta and dissolve the chambers.

THE NAVY IN THE WAR.

Friday evening, at the Y. M. C. A., Lieut. Carden, who served in Admiral Sampson's squadron, and who was in four battles, will tell his experiences, aided by seventy stereoscopic views, mostly taken in battle. Tickets only 25 cents.

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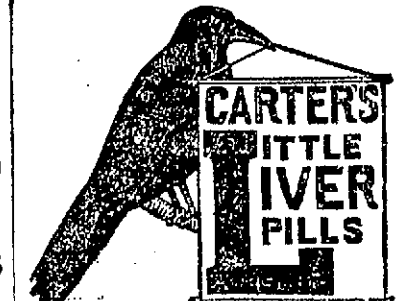
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